

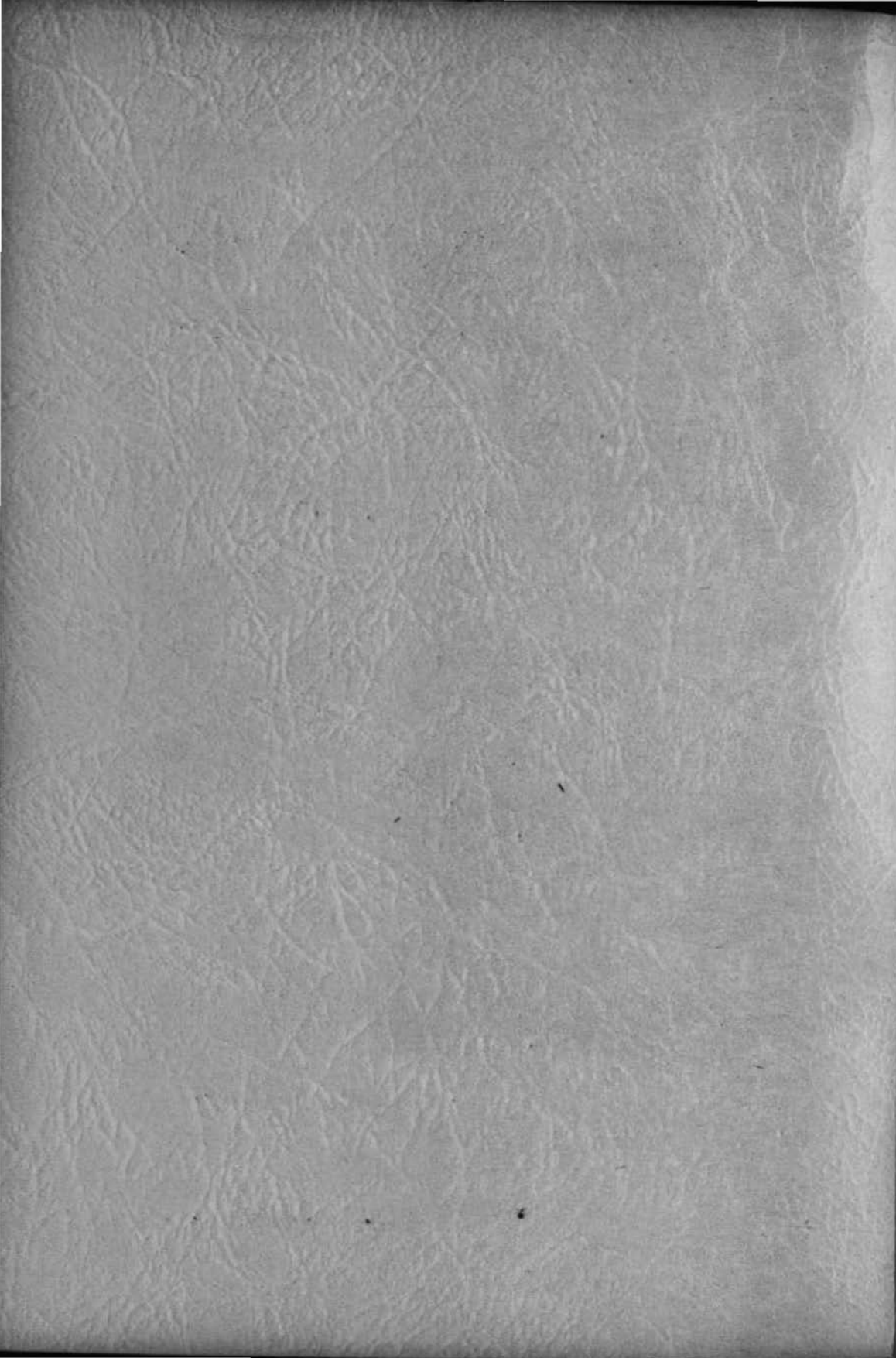
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State Welfare Board

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TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
STATE WELFARE BOARD

AS MADE TO
GOVERNOR FULLER WARREN
FOR THE PERIOD
July 1, 1948—June 30, 1949

as required by
The State Welfare Act

WITH REPORTS OF THE
TWELVE WELFARE DISTRICTS



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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

Honorable Fuller Warren
Governor of Florida
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Sir:

We are pleased to present herewith the annual report of the Florida State Welfare Board for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949. It is being transmitted to you in accordance with provisions of Chapter 409, F. S., 1941.

Through the cooperation of your office, the entire Administration, the Legislature, members of the several District Boards, a loyal and effective staff and many others interested in providing for the needy of Florida, the services described in this report have been made possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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FLORIDA STATE CONSTITUTION

Article XIII, Section III as Amended 1936

The respective counties of the State shall provide in the manner prescribed by law, for those of the inhabitants who, by reason of age, infirmity, or misfortune, may have claims upon the aid and sympathy of society; provided, however, the Legislature may by general law provide for a uniform State wide system for such benefits, and appropriate money therefor; but no such general law shall provide benefits to any person who shall not have been a resident of the State of Florida for a period of five years continuously next preceding his application therefor, nor shall such general law provide for benefits to any such person solely on account of age who has not attained the age of sixty-five years; Provided, further that where by any law of the United States, a lesser or different period of residence, age or citizenship shall be fixed in order for the State of Florida to participate in any Federal grants that might be made for such purposes, the Legislature may prescribe such requirements as to citizenship, age, and residence as will be consistent with and not in conflict with such Federal law.

WELFARE AID FOR FLORIDIANS

When the State Welfare Board ended its twelfth year of operations, it was responsible for helping more people in the State of Florida than at any time since its creation in 1937.

This reflects the will of the people who have said through their Legislature and through the Congress that those in need shall be provided for. Here are the needy blind; dependent children; and the aged, unable to compete for employment, some others physically unable to do any kind of gainful work, still others who had said they would not turn to public assistance for their living and then, finally, with savings depleted were forced to turn to Florida's public welfare agency for their existence.

In addition to the needy aged, blind, and dependent children who looked to the Welfare Board for assistance, there were others—parents, guardians, children themselves who sought the workers in the agency for help in a wide variety of ways. There were the Courts, too, which asked the agency, in accordance with law, to make studies on adoption petitions. There were parochial and public schools, charitable and State institutions which received, nutritious foodstuffs sent by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to the State Welfare Board for distribution. There were State institutions which requested reports on home situations of residents and patients.

The year was one in which more and more people of Florida looked to their State Welfare Board for assistance in various ways; and a year in which the Welfare Board met a larger number of requests for services and assistance than in any previous year.

In June 1949, the prospect for those needing assistance was far from bright.

While the Legislature had appropriated funds with which the welfare program could be carried on very nearly at its present level, sufficient taxes had not been levied. Those in need were faced with the problem of getting along on twenty-five percent less than they were receiving. Just at the end of this fiscal year, the State Budget Commission was forced to announce that it would release during the next three months only seventy-five percent of amounts appropriated for any State agency receiving its moneys from the General Revenue Fund.

The Legislature, realizing that the number of needy in the State is constantly rising, increased appropriations for the next two years over those for the current biennium. A comparison of

appropriations for the two years ending June 30, 1949, with those for the coming biennium follows, (including anticipated Federal Funds):

	BIENNIUM 1947-49		BIENNIUM 1949-51	
	Actual Receipts		Appropriation	Estimated
	STATE	FEDERAL*	STATE	FEDERAL
OAA, AB, &				
Admin.	\$25,897,403.66			
ADC	6,690,490.38			
ADC Special ..	113,903.93			
OAA		33,932,137.51	25,414,546.00	42,121,650.20
AB		1,735,754.24	1,335,592.00	2,149,773.34
ADC		11,953,829.05	12,016,262.00	24,907,998.20
Administration and Services ..			3,137,418.00	2,586,021.80
Totals	\$32,701,797.97	\$47,621,720.80	\$41,903,818.00	\$71,765,443.54
Biennial Reserve— not released by Budget Commission. Reverted to G.R. 6/30/49 due to legislative elimination of continuing appropriations	5,830,331.98			
GRAND TOTAL—				
STATE & FEDERAL	\$86,153,850.75		\$113,669,261.54	

* Includes amounts for earned Administrative cost applicable to each program.

"Earmarked funds" were abolished by the Legislature insofar as the welfare program is concerned. While the Board had been dependent upon funds from various specific sources in previous years, all moneys for welfare purposes during the new biennium will come from the General Revenue Fund.

The appropriation approved by the 1949 Legislature is less than that which the Welfare Board requested to do an adequate job, but is sufficient to carry on the program at the present level, provided there is no undue or unanticipated rise in the number of assistance recipients, and excepting Old Age Assistance where a slight decrease in grants will be necessary.

And yet, appropriations without revenues are useless. So more than 122,000 needy citizens of Florida could not look to the future with much assurance that even their basic living requirements would be met.

In October, 1948, it was possible to increase the amounts of some grants to the aged, the blind and dependent children. In

that year, the Congress increased the Federal matching share in all three of those programs. Prior to October, the Federal Government, through the Federal Security Agency, used the following formula in reimbursing states for assistance paid to the needy aged and blind.*

\$10 of the first \$15, then equal matching up to \$50.

For aid to dependent children the formula was:

\$6 of the first \$9 then equal matching up to a maximum of \$27 for the first child, and a maximum of \$18 for each additional child in the same family group.

In October, increased Federal benefit to the State was provided with the following formula:

\$15 of the first \$20 then equal matching up to \$50 for the needy aged and blind; and

\$9 of the first \$12 for needy dependent children, with no change in the maximum.

Because public assistance is based on the need of the individual, these increases were not reflected in all grants. Some, however, did receive increases after required restudies had been made of their circumstances. State appropriations for the dependent children program still were inadequate to meet the needs. The Welfare Board as a result, had to continue through the year its maximum of \$24 for the first child, \$15 for the second, and \$12 for each additional child in the family group with a family maximum of \$99.

Until October of 1948, the maximum grants for the aged and blind had been held at \$45 because of limited State funds. The more favorable Federal matching formula made it possible to increase the maximum to \$50.

The following table shows how total assistance grants to the needy went up month by month, throughout the year.

Helping to meet the needs of certain groups of people is the responsibility of Florida's Welfare Agency, and as a part of this is the legal requirement of fair and equitable administration of the program.

Revised standards of assistance were made effective in September, 1948. These included seven basic items for determining the minimum needs of each individual's budget, and 11 special items

*While this report was being prepared for printing the State Legislature met in extraordinary session at the call of the Governor and passed a limited (3%) sales tax. That is expected to provide the needed revenue.

NET ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR

		Total	Old Age Assistance	Aid to the Blind	Aid to Dependent Children
July	1948	\$ 3,058,565.50	\$ 2,248,448.50	\$ 113,014.50	\$ 697,102.50
August	1948	3,100,862.00	2,270,215.00	114,424.50	716,222.50
September	1948	3,161,641.00	2,302,724.50	115,781.00	743,135.50
October	1948	3,278,584.50	2,399,570.00	120,860.00	758,154.50
November	1948	3,320,645.50	2,420,014.50	122,421.00	778,210.00
December	1948	3,365,789.00	2,447,221.00	123,077.00	795,491.00
January	1949	3,399,405.00	2,458,605.00	123,855.50	816,944.50
February	1949	3,436,842.50	2,474,489.00	125,298.00	837,055.50
March	1949	3,500,440.00	2,511,452.00	125,607.00	863,381.00
April	1949	3,559,047.00	2,540,251.00	128,082.00	890,714.00
May	1949	3,610,788.50	2,569,660.00	128,705.50	912,423.00
June	1949	3,667,419.00	2,600,701.50	130,519.50	936,198.00
TOTALS		\$40,460,029.50	\$29,243,352.00	\$1,471,645.50	\$9,745,032.00

AVERAGE NET MONTHLY PAYMENTS

	June 1948	June 1949
Old Age Assistance	\$38.19	\$40.18
Aid to the Blind	39.48	42.24
Aid to Dependent Children	42.01	41.97

to be considered when certain situations exist. Cost standards, except for nursing care, were worked out for all items, to be applied equitably throughout the State.

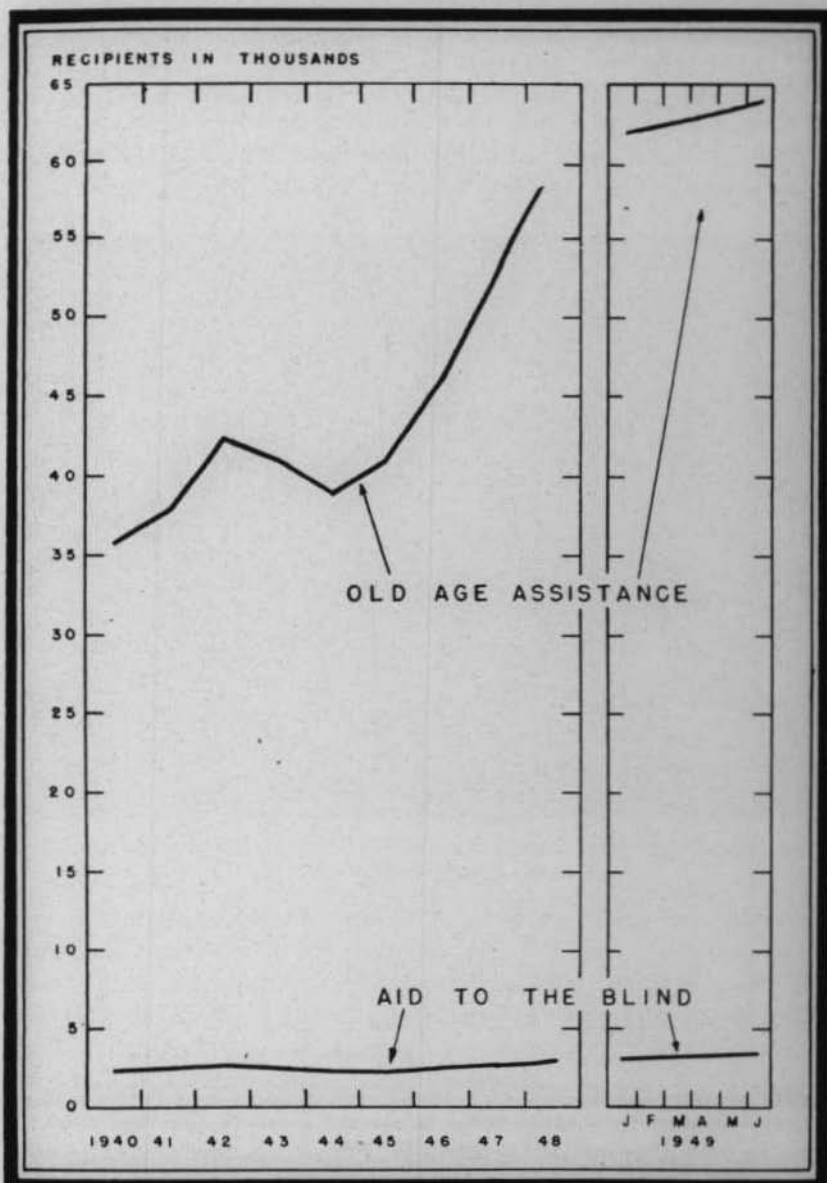
Two consultants positions were approved by the State Board during the year. When these are filled, the assistance standards will be further revised and it will be possible to keep them on a current basis. A constant study of policies and procedures will be possible, with continuing revisions to meet changing conditions, considering the effects of the policies on the recipients themselves.

The graphs on Pages 5 and 6 show how the number of needy aged and blind has increased and how average grants have gone up.

We Have the Aged

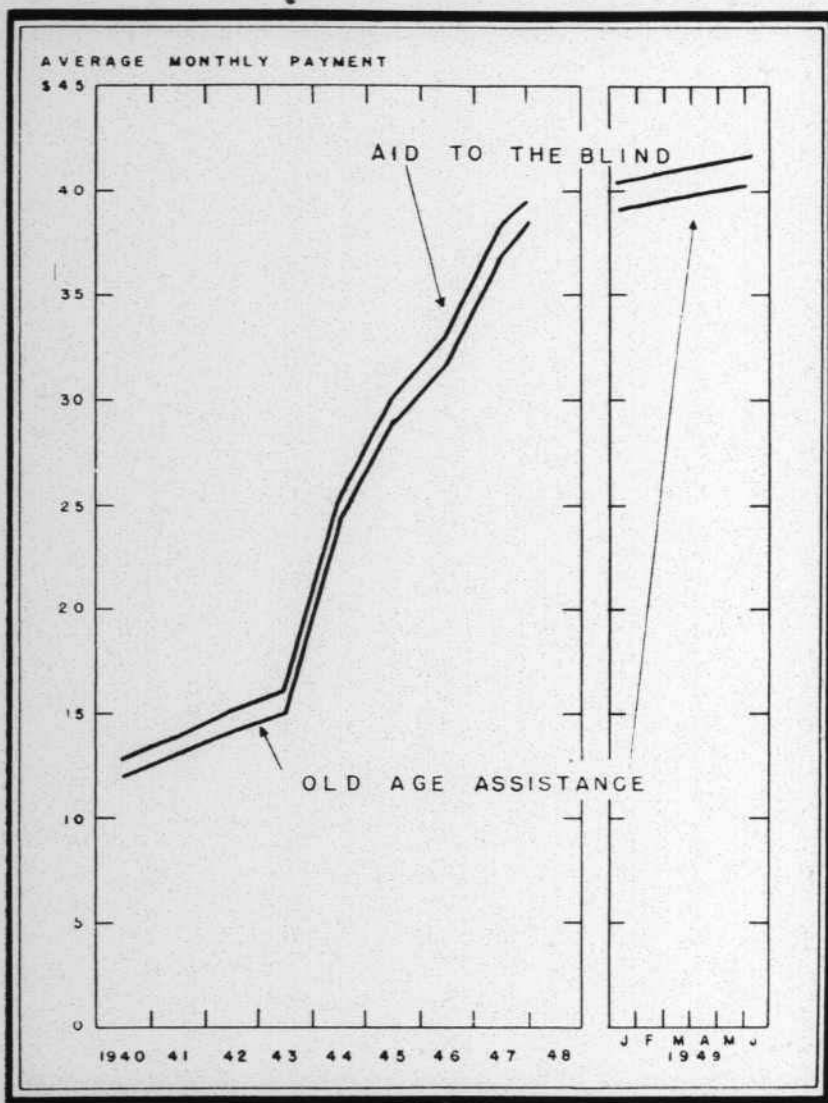
As has been true in nine of the twelve years the Welfare Board has functioned, the number of needy aged increased during the year. There were the elderly citizens of Florida who, for various reasons, were unable to provide their immediate, minimum living requirements.

There were the infirm, living in nursing and similar homes where care was provided; there were those who should have been in those kinds of home but for whom there was no home available with the amount they could pay from the maximum grant; there were some who performed some gainful work—but not



Except in war peak, there has been a steady increase in Old Age Assistance load; less among the blind.

enough to earn all their needs; there were some who watched the purchasing power of their invested dollar dwindle to what twenty years ago would have been enough for their needs, no longer is;



Last six months show little change in average grants to aged and blind; a slight increase.

there were the "marginal wage earners" who never could set aside anything for their declining years; and there were others, who because of their chronological years alone, had been placed on the "unemployable" list.

In June of 1948, they numbered 58,494.

By June of 1949, their number had increased to 64,946.

There were, on the latter date, 3,177 pending applications for assistance. This was well below the figure of 5,166 in June, 1948.

Others among those in this age group were some who had been helped by welfare workers to find employment and had withdrawn from the assistance rolls, or who had been able to "get along" with a lower grant. Forgotten or undiscovered re-



Often, Life's sunset is made easier, more secure, with regular Old Age Assistance.

sources were found for some. There were some, too, who had regained contact with relatives through the help of welfare workers. These were among the usually-unseen services performed through the Welfare Board which don't show up in the statistical tables.

During the year, there were 13,128 applications for assistance to the aged approved. More than 4,500 who applied for assistance gave as their reason loss of employment by the recipient or other person in the home. Another 1,600 said their savings or other resources had been depleted. Another 2,500, even though in need for an extended period of time, had postponed applying for assistance, but finally were forced to it.

It wasn't entirely a matter of adding to the rolls, however. In the same period, 6,543 cases were closed. Death of the recipient

average monthly payment in June of 1949 was \$40.19, as compared with \$38.19 in the previous June.

Florida's average grant in June of this year was below the national average of \$43.60, but was above that for other Southern states, with the exception of Louisiana. Here is how the grants varied in that month in 12 Southern states:*

<i>State</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Average</i>
Alabama	\$22.61	Mississippi	\$18.80
FLORIDA	40.19	North Carolina	21.55
Georgia	20.54	South Carolina	24.70
Kentucky	20.83	Tennessee	27.15
Louisiana	47.05	Virginia	20.23
Maryland	36.88	West Virginia	21.35

*Based on Federal Security Agency report for June, 1949.

The Child Could Be Yours

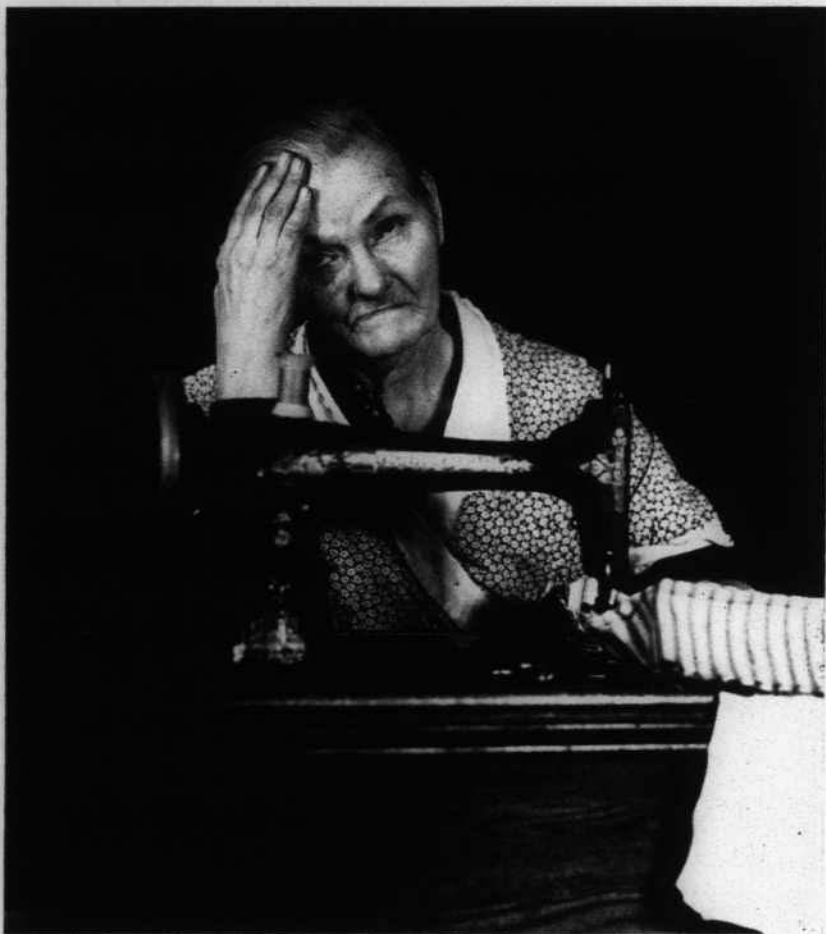
Here in Florida, there are broken homes. There are children who are a part of these broken homes. The people of Florida can take pride in the fact that through the Agency's Aid to Dependent Children program those children were provided some assistance that their family group could be held together.

A broken home may be caused by death to one or both parents, disease which hospitalizes or renders him incapable of earning for his family; and divorce and desertion. Children in these homes need clothing, food, shelter, health to continue their home life, and a chance to grow and develop like other children around them.

Children, it is generally accepted, develop more naturally, in a more wholesome, satisfactory way, when they are a part of a family group. To keep them together, to give them that sense of security which the family gives, is to provide them with at least a minimum adequacy of living needs. That is the purpose, in part, of the Aid to Dependent Children program.

In June of 1949, there were 54,706 children in 22,342 family groups receiving that kind of aid. This was a marked increase over the number of those who were receiving similar aid in June of 1948. At that time, there were 40,385 children in 16,412 family groups. The graphs on Pages 10 and 11 show how number and amounts of average grants have increased.

was the reason in 69 percent of the cases. Nearly 300 found employment, which made them no longer in need or eligible. An increase in the resources of some person in the home accounted for closing 410 cases. A change in the law or agency policy affected

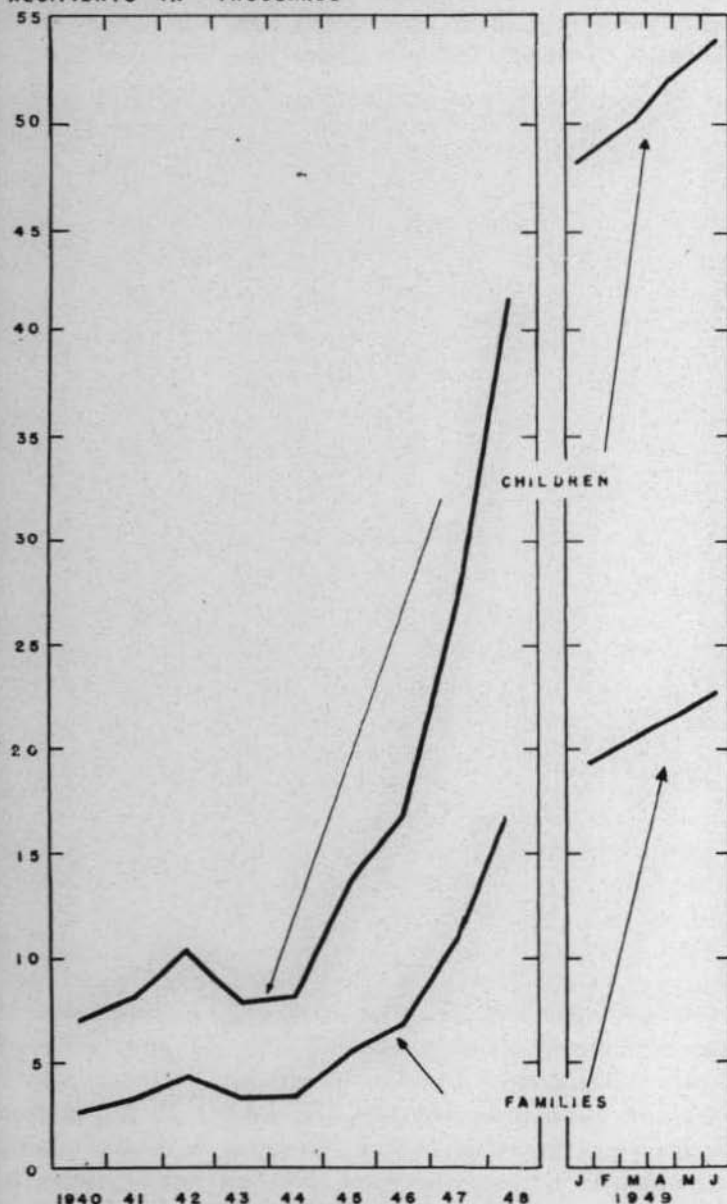


Many continue to earn; but Old Age Assistance supplements their meager income.

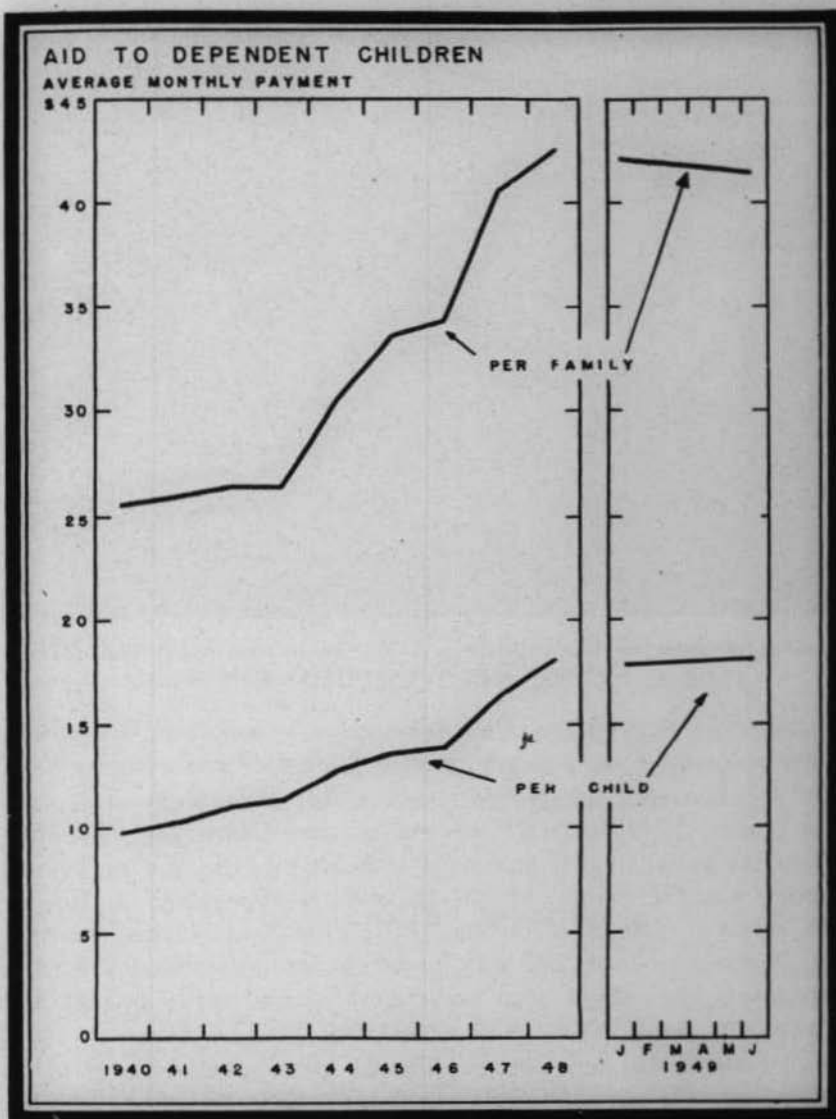
317 recipients, who were dropped from the rolls. Admission to public institutions was extended to 198 persons who were receiving assistance.

The needy aged received during the year a total of \$29,355,-443.50 in assistance grants. State funds amounted to \$11,410,444.25, while from the Federal Government came \$17,944,989.25. The

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN RECIPIENTS IN THOUSANDS



That there are many children in need of assistance for basic living requirements is shown in above graph.



Average monthly grant for Aid to Dependent Children has remained almost constant last six months.

Yet, during this same period, 18 percent of the "cases" (family groups) were removed from the rolls. Reason for closing in almost half (47.85 percent) was a material change in the economic circumstances of the group. Support was provided in 460 of the 1,684

In June, the payments averaged \$17.13 per child, or \$41.95 for each family group. There are between two and three children, on the average, in each group. In Florida, payments were well below those throughout the nation, but struck almost the average among 12 Southern States.

The average payment to the family group, in the nation, was \$72.71. In six Southern states it was below that paid in Florida, and five states made higher average grants than did Florida. States and the people in them, are acknowledging more and more their responsibility to children in need.

The table below shows how the grants, for family groups, averaged among the Southern states:*

<i>State</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Average</i>
Alabama	\$36.28	Mississippi	\$26.49
FLORIDA	41.95	North Carolina	41.48
Georgia	40.85	South Carolina	35.51
Kentucky	38.43	Tennessee	48.14
Louisiana	59.08	Virginia	44.15
Maryland	82.95	West Virginia	43.53

*Based on Federal Security Agency report for June, 1949.

For the assistance of these needy, dependent children, Florida paid a total of \$9,760,000.50 in Federal and State tax funds during the year. As shown in the table on Page 4, there was an increase in every month during the year.

There are the Sightless

During the year, 523 of Florida's needy blind were approved for assistance. By June of 1949, there were 3,094 receiving assistance as compared with 2,861 in June of the preceding year. In the same 12-month period, 284 recipients of Aid to the Blind were removed from the rolls. A few were approved near the end of the year and did not receive warrants before the year closed.

Death accounted for 53.52 percent of the removals from the rolls, or 152. Forty-four, however, had a change in their economic circumstances, including the employment of 15, employment of others in the homes of 12 recipients, and an increase in resources in the homes in the case of eight. Most gratifying, 36 had their vision wholly or partially restored.



Ever try caring for four children on \$63 a month from Aid to Dependent Children? That is this mother's problem.

instances by re-marriage of the parent; in 448 instances, the mother obtained employment, while in 252, the father was employed.

"No material change in economic circumstances" accounted for closing 1,797, or 51.07 percent of these which were removed from the rolls. In 528 instances, a change in the law or agency policy was the reason; in 248, the child had reached the age of 18, while in 280, other instances, the child had reached the age of 16 years or over and was no longer attending school. In 181 instances, the parent was no longer incapacitated, and in 247 cases, the absent parent had returned.

Death of the dependent child was given as the reason in 38 instances.

The assistance was not adequate. Because of limited State funds, Florida's Welfare Agency had to hold the maximum grant for the first child to \$24 a month, which is supposed to include in budgetary needs the mother, or other relative responsible in her place. For the second child, a maximum of \$15 was provided, and for each additional child in the same family group \$12, up to a maximum of \$99.



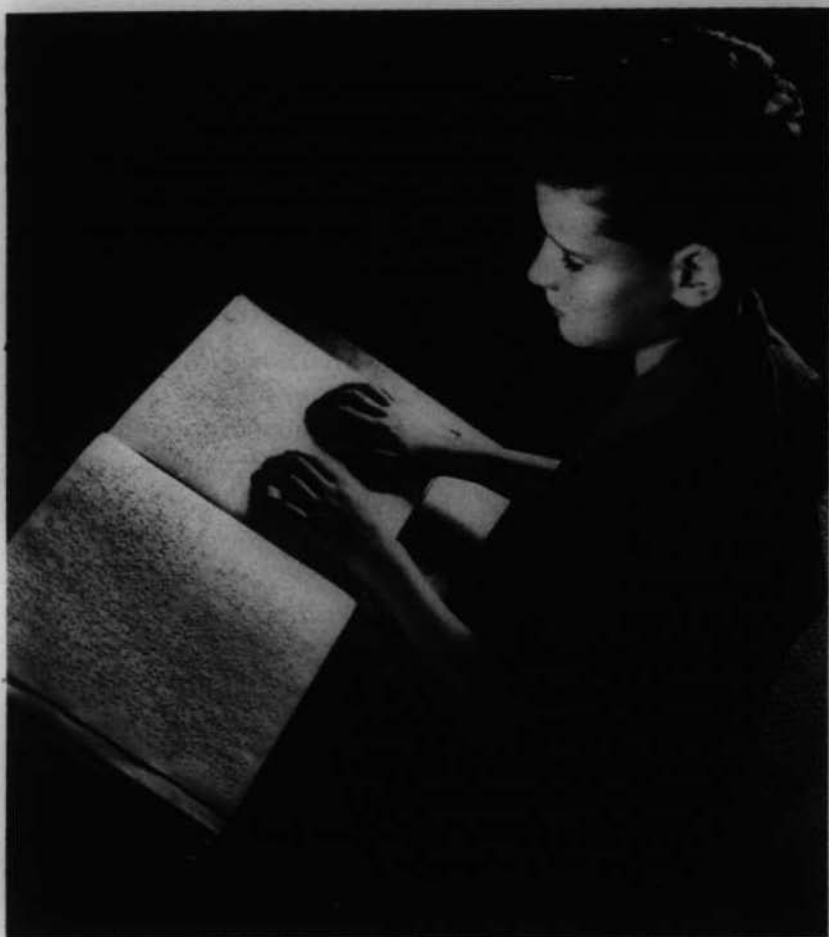
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That is the statistical picture. It does not, however, tell what assistance means to those sightless persons who cannot provide for themselves. The State Welfare Board works closely with the Council for the Blind, through whose program many otherwise dependent sightless persons are rehabilitated—taught trades and helped to make themselves independent.

In the Aid to the Blind Program, too, the maximum grant was increased in October to \$50, but not all recipients received it. The average grant in June was \$42.21, as compared with a national average of \$45.02.

Florida citizens provided better for their needy sightless fellow



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Georgia	25.75	South Carolina	28.73
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CHILD WELFARE

Florida's public social services for children date back only to 1937 except for the program of licensing child caring institutions. Citizens have a right to be proud of their beginning efforts to provide public services for children who are homeless, or otherwise in need of care and protection. A great deal more needs to be done before the State can guarantee that each child in need of care receives the kind of care which is best for him.

The Child In His Own Home

During each month of the past year, District Welfare Boards were serving an average of 403 children in their own homes and 109 children living with relatives. These children were in need of something other than financial assistance. The services included:

Working with a child and his family to help determine whether the home was suitable for him and whether anything could be done to help the parent provide better care;

Assisting children and families in securing financial assistance when they were ineligible for the usual assistance programs, or when the grant from those programs needed supplementation;

Provision of housekeeper service because of the temporary illness or absence of the parent from the home. State child welfare funds were used for a period not usually to exceed 90 days;

Working with the child who could not remain with his own parents to determine the kind of foster care he needed;

Study of the home of a relative to learn whether it was suitable for a child who could not remain with his own parents;

Counselling with children in homes of relatives during their period of adjustment to each other;

Referral to the Crippled Children's Commission, child placing agencies, child caring institutions, Council for the Blind, Farm Colony and any other social or health agency.

The Child Away From Home— Temporary and Emergency Care

Shelter care was provided children who had no place to live. These were children whose homes had been broken, who had

been deserted, who were stranded away from home, who had been neglected, whose parents were ill, or who had no home. Care—limited to three months—was provided in foster family homes or in an institution. The Receiving Homes of the Children's Home Society of Florida were used extensively. A working agreement has been developed with that agency which enables the State Welfare Board to secure temporary care at a boarding rate which is much less than the actual cost of the care. This has made it possible to serve many more children than the limited State funds would have allowed.

While the child is in temporary care, the District Welfare Boards attempt to locate his parents and relatives, to get to know the child and to determine the best plan which can be made for him.

The Child of Unmarried Parents

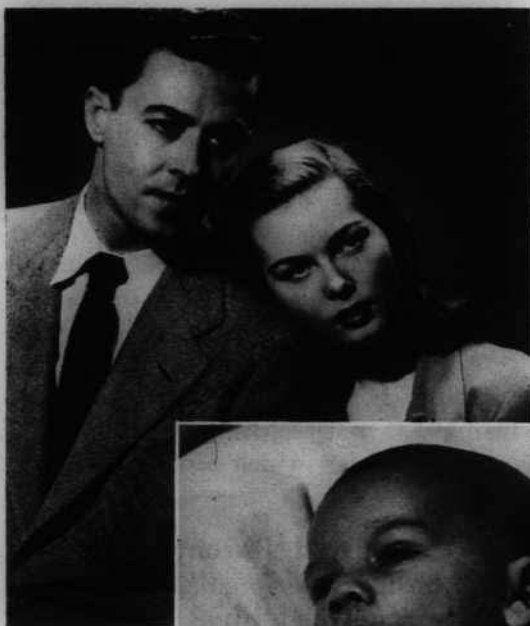
District Welfare Boards provided services to unmarried mothers and their babies. State child welfare funds were used to help mothers under 21 years of age maintain themselves before the baby's birth, if they were in need; to provide care in an approved maternity home; to provide temporary maintenance for the mother after the birth of the baby and to provide temporary shelter care for the baby. If the mother wished to have the baby placed for adoption the child was referred to a licensed child placing agency. During the past year 273 unmarried mothers requested the services of District Welfare Boards.

State Child Welfare Funds

There was \$50,000 available in State funds for payment of the cost of care of children. Each District Welfare Board was limited as to the number of children it could accept for care and the available money could not pay for all services which were needed. The appropriation of the 1949 Session of the Legislature made it possible for the Board to increase this fund to \$150,000 for the fiscal year 1949-50, which will afford more services to more children if the State's revenue will provide the full appropriations.

Local Child Welfare Funds

In 13 counties local funds were available to District Welfare Boards for foster home care and other specialized services for children. Since the State child welfare funds were not sufficient to provide foster home care, this was available only in those few



Adoption is a lifetime decision. Studies by the State Welfare Board safeguard the child, the natural parents, and the adoptive parents.



counties. Workers with graduate social work training were employed, with State and Federal funds being used to pay their salaries and travel expenses.

Local funds in the amount of \$84,510.18 were received by District Welfare Boards in the following counties: Alachua, Broward, Dade, Duval, Escambia, Hillsborough, Indian River, Monroe, Orange, Palm Beach, Pinellas, St. Lucie and Volusia. Funds for child welfare were also received in Jackson and Okeechobee counties, but a regular foster home care service was not provided. The source of local funds was as follows:

County Government	59.8%
City Government	6.9%
Parents and Individuals	16.9%
Club, Civic Groups, Community Chests, etc...	16.4%

The Child Being Adopted

The investigation of adoption petitions is a protection to children, their parents and adoptive parents. Florida's adoption law compares favorably with the Essentials of an Adoption Law as recommended by the U. S. Children's Bureau in 1949; however, the Florida law relates to the legal adoption and does not regulate or control the placement of children.



"Want my baby and me?" A thorough adoption study may provide the home she needs.

The law requires that the State Welfare Board make an investigation and report its findings and recommendations to the court in all adoptions in Florida where the child was not placed by a licensed child-placing agency. In adoptions where the child was placed by a licensed agency, investigation was made prior to placement and the licensed agency makes the recommendations to the court.

From July 1, 1948 to July 1, 1949, there were 1236 petitions for adoption of children in Florida, 781 children being adopted by non-related people. The number of petitions for the adoption of non-related children placed by licensed child-placing agencies has increased from 45 in 1943-44 to 226 in 1948-49. However, there were still 555 children whose adoption placements were arranged privately last year without the protection of licensed agency study prior to placement.

While investigation at the time of legal adoption is a protection to children, prospective adoptive parents and the natural parents, greater protection is given children if they are placed by qualified agencies. Attention is being given to the social services which parents and particularly unmarried mothers need in order to prevent hasty and poorly considered adoption placements of children, with the aim of seeing that necessary services and assistance are available through social agencies. Study is also being made to determine ways through which more people can use child-placing agencies.

Child Caring Institutions and Child Placing Agencies

The State Welfare Board has legal responsibility for the licensing of institutions and agencies that provide care for dependent children or place children in foster homes or in adoptive homes. On June 30, 1949, the following programs were licensed:

Child Caring and Child Placing Agencies

The Children's Home Society of Florida

Catholic Charities Bureau, Inc.

Tampa Children's Home

Children's Service Bureau of Dade County

Daniel Memorial Home

Child Placing Agencies

Children's Service Bureau, St. Petersburg

Jewish Welfare Society, Jacksonville



In approved child caring institutions, Florida's children get good food, wholesome surroundings.

Child Caring Institutions

American Advent Christian Home & Orphanage

American Children's Home

Baptist Home for Children, Jacksonville

Boys' Home

Church Home for Children

Florida Baptist Children's Home, Lakeland

Florida East Coast Orphanage

Florida Methodist Children's Home

Lutheran Haven
Masonic Home of Florida
National Children's Cardiac Home
St. Mary's Home



Mother is ill. A temporary, foster home could meet this child's problem.

In addition to determining that minimum standards of care are provided, the State Welfare Board consulted with the agencies in an attempt to help them strengthen and develop their

programs. The Board also worked with persons who were interested in developing new institutions. An effort was made to prevent the establishment of sub-standard programs and the duplication of services.

Licensing of Foster Homes and Independent Boarding Homes

Foster homes used by the District Welfare Boards and licensed child placing agencies throughout the State are licensed by the State Welfare Board. Commercial boarding homes for children, maternity homes and day care centers are also licensed under a special law, which applies only to Dade and Duval counties. Annual sanitary inspections by the Board of Health are required.

The growth of the licensing programs since June, 1945, is shown in the following comparisons:

	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949
TOTAL Number of Homes Currently Licensed in June	39	102	170	199	272
Foster Homes Used by District Welfare Boards	6	17	35	45	59
Foster Homes Used by Private Child Placing Agencies	26	50	46	46	57
Independent Boarding Homes					
Dade and Duval counties	7	35	89	108	156

COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION

More than 214,000 school children, residents of State and charitable institutions, and youngsters in summer camp were benefited through another activity of the State Welfare Board. Under the Welfare Act, the Board is responsible for the distribution of surplus commodities, including those purchased by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in its price-support program.

These foods are sent to the State without any direct cost. Had the schools and institutions purchased these commodities, they would have paid \$1,308,059.61 for them, based on a fair wholesale value. Seventy-two percent of the commodities went to schools, the balance to institutions and summer camps.

The table below shows the wholesale value by distribution, number and type of institutions, and their enrollment:

	Value	Number	Enrollment
Schools	\$ 941,510.99	861	202,052
Charitable Institutions	39,889.35	48	3,419
State Institutions	325,280.62	9	8,511
Summer Camps	1,378.75	8	892
TOTAL	\$1,308,059.71	926	214,874

These foods of high nutritional content augmented school lunch programs in every county of the State, as well as affording extra nutrition in a number of institutions. Following is a list of the commodities and the amounts distributed:

Apples, Dried	1,350 cases
Apple Sauce	18,000 cases
Apricots, Dried	2,760 cases
Eggs, Dried	3,780 cases
Figs, Dried	1,150 cases
Grapefruit Juice	4,365 cases
Honey	3,966 cases
Milk, Dried	7,999 cases
Orange Juice, Concentrated	7,408 cases
Peaches, Dried	6,899 cases
Peanut Butter	2,175 cases
Prunes, Dried	8,050 cases
Raisins, Dried	8,042 cases
Tomatoes, Canned	18,850 cases
Tomato Paste	4,050 cases
Cheese	357,360 pounds
Potatoes, Sweet	321,600 pounds
Potatoes, White	3,296,400 pounds

HEARINGS AND APPEALS

One of the cardinal principals of the Public Assistance Program is that every individual has a right to a hearing if he feels that he has not been given fair and just consideration. That right is embodied in laws and regulations under which the State Welfare Board operates.

The citizen may ask for a hearing before the District Board or the State Board, and may appeal to the State Board from a decision reached by the District Board.

To facilitate the handling of these appeals, the State Welfare Board this year created the position of Hearing Officer, who represents the Board on all appeals. Persons seeking assistance are not in a position to travel great distances to take their appeals to the State Board. With a Hearing Officer devoting full time to these, it is possible to conduct them near the residence of the person making the appeal.

The following table shows the kind of appeals which came to the Board:

BASIS OF HEARING, BY CATEGORY	Total	Withdrawal* After Adjust- ment
	92	12
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE		
Age	1	1
Residence	1	
Income	11	1
Resources:		
(a) Homestead over \$5,000	5	
(b) Non-homestead property	22	3
(c) Personal property including cash, mortgages, livestock	11	2
(d) Transfer or Disposal resources	6	
(e) Refusal to disclose resources	1	
(f) Reduction in or Insufficient grant	15	4
AID TO THE BLIND		
Reduction in or Insufficient grant	2	
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN		
Deprived of parental support	16	1
Resources:		
(a) Non-homestead property	1	
(b) Personal property including cash, mortgage, livestock		
(c) Disposal of resources	1	

*Not presented to the State Board. Adjustment made by the District to the satisfaction of the client.

ADMINISTRATION, OTHER SERVICES

The State Welfare Board had believed for some time that an impartial, objective study of the Agency should be made, by professional people and technicians in the field of public and social welfare who would make an analysis of administrative procedures, policies and services for people.

Community Surveys, Inc., a nationally recognized authority, was retained in the fall of 1948 for this purpose. That organization sent a staff of specialists to the Agency, and made an exhaustive study of the Board's operations. The report of its finding includes policies and administration, public assistance and child welfare procedures, personnel operations, procedures and systems, and community relationships.

Creation of the position of deputy commissioner in charge of welfare operations was recommended, and this position has been filled. This is in keeping with good administrative practice and has made it possible for the Commissioner and the Deputy to give more attention to over-all administration and the broader development of the program.

The report also contained a number of legislative recommendations designed to strengthen the program of the State Welfare Board. At a meeting of District Board Chairmen, the report was approved and it was urged that the State Board put the recommendations into practice as rapidly as possible. This action was, in turn, authorized by the State Board.

Many of the recommendations are now in effect. Some are mentioned in this report. Several will require more time to be made effective. The study has provided the structure to strengthen the Agency's services to Florida's needy citizens.

Housing continues to be a problem with the Agency, although there has been some relief in a few unit offices. Most District and unit offices and the State Office are still badly crowded, hampering the efficient operations of the Agency. It is hoped that destruction of old and obsolete records, which now take up a great deal of filing space, will relieve this condition, but that will not be the complete answer to this question.

In the past ten years, the public assistance caseload has increased five times as rapidly as the staff. That means additional demands upon the Agency with proportionately less manpower to meet them.

The percentage of staff vacancies has slowly decreased until at the end of June it stood at 5.95 percent in relation to total allocation of staff. Appointment of visitors in June, when college graduates become available for employment, rose sharply as compared with the preceding month.

However, the announcement that 25 percent of funds would be withheld for at least three months of the new biennium starting in July, meant that during those three months no additions to the staff could be made, and that vacancies would go unfilled.

Although more positions were filled at the end of the year than at the close of the preceding one, the turnover of employees was heavy—a costly experience in an agency of this kind where each worker must be carefully trained.

The salary scale of the Agency continued to affect adversely a full complement of staff. Qualifications agreed upon by the Merit System Council must be met, and salaries within the Agency should be made comparable to those for similar positions in other agencies.

Recruitment continued to be a major function in the Personnel Division. There was correspondence with potential social workers, colleges from which workers may be recruited, and others. Interviews in the State and District offices were encouraged, and frequently staff members met with groups of college students to help them understand the part they can play in developing and carrying on this program which is to assist those who are in need.

During the year the number of Merit System examinations was increased, as a part of the recruitment program.

In a program of this kind, it is essential that cooperative relationships be maintained with other agencies, both public and private. The home of a youngster in a State industrial school may need studying for the good of the youth. Other State institutions call upon the Welfare Board for studies.

Florida maintains a reciprocal agreement with many public agencies in other states so that the Welfare Board makes investigations of persons here in Florida for whom agencies outside Florida may be responsible. In turn, those agencies provide services for the State Welfare Board when they are requested. These good returns are time-saving, and give accuracy and completeness to information.

Press and radio material has been prepared to help Florida citizens know what this program for the needy is, how it affects

all citizens, and what the ultimate hopes are. Exhibits have been prepared which were used on several occasions before Statewide and local groups. Pamphlets and similar printed and mimeographed material were prepared and distributed. Individual inquiries have been promptly answered with detailed information when needed. Board members and staff appeared before various groups explaining the program.

The State Welfare Board is composed of 12 welfare districts within the State. Seven members comprise the State Board while the number of members of the several District Boards varies depending on the population of the counties within the district.

Under the Florida law, the State Board is responsible for the administration of the Welfare Act, but the District Boards have equally responsible duties in acting as agents for the State Board. Membership on the District Boards is on a basis of each 25,000 population or fraction thereof within the county. The number of District Board members varies, as a result. In two Districts of the State, single counties make up the area covered—in Duval and Hillsborough. In Dade, formerly a one-county District, Monroe, adjacent to the south of Dade, was placed in that District by the 1949 Legislature as a move toward better administration of the program.

THE LEGISLATURE

Appropriations made during the regular Session of the Legislature in 1949 as they relate to the welfare program are covered elsewhere in this report.

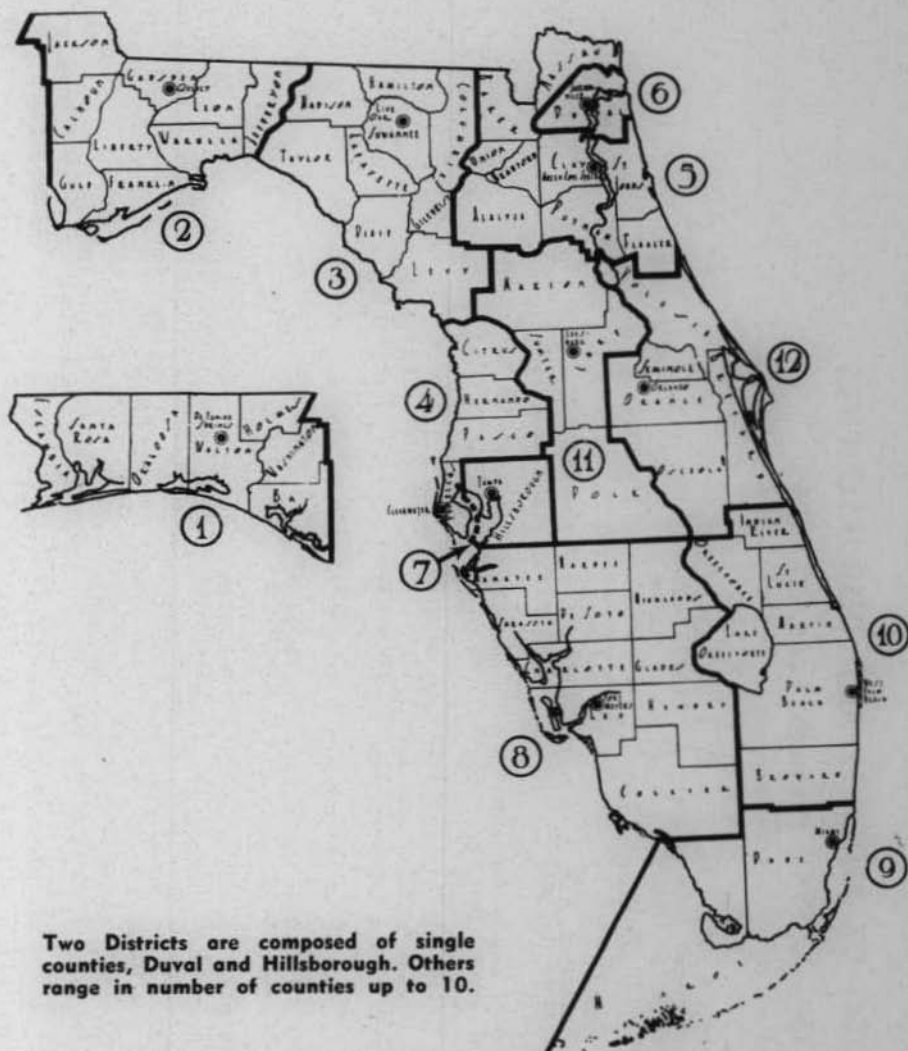
Several constructive steps affecting the Agency were taken by the Legislators in their 60-day meeting. Some parts of the Board's Legislative program, however, failed to have the support of a majority of the law makers.

These were enacted:

Inclusion of minors in the Aid to the Blind Program which was a correction of an error during the 1947 session when this group of needy persons was unintentionally omitted from eligibility in the program;

Authority to destroy and/or microfilm certain old and now useless records which have taken a great deal of needed floor space in State and District offices;

A plan for handling last warrants issued to deceased recipients which will expedite the payment to beneficiaries;



Two Districts are composed of single counties, Duval and Hillsborough. Others range in number of counties up to 10.

Transfer of Monroe County from District 10 to District 9.

These proposals approved by the Board failed to pass:

A recovery clause; so that if recipients later come into resources over and above their basic needs, the State will be reimbursed for assistance granted;

A mortgage lien clause; as a first lien against property which recipients may maintain while receiving assistance;

Provision for the confidential handling of public assistance records (already required by the Federal law);

Provision enabling equitable salaries with other State Agencies under the Merit System for comparable positions.

ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

July 1, 1948 through June 30, 1949

RECEIPTS

Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, State OAA & AB	\$ 217,434.66	\$	\$
Received Against State Funds Appropriated, OAA & AB	13,591,128.28		
Received as Adjustment for Prior Year	159.50		
Less: Returned to General Revenue June 30, 1949	(659,262.22)	13,149,460.76	
Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, State ADC	241,892.38		
Received Against State Funds Appropriated, ADC	3,602,947.69		
Less: Returned to General Revenue, June 30, 1949	(492,736.82)	3,352,103.25	
Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, State ADC Special Services	5,886.24		
Received Against State Funds, ADC Special Services	45,313.76		
Less: Returned to General Revenue June 30, 1949	(1,540.79)	49,659.21	
TOTAL STATE FUNDS			16,551,223.22
Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, Federal OAA	289,475.29		
Federal Grants, OAA	18,619,233.40		
Received as Adjustment for Prior Year	102.00	18,908,810.69	
Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, Federal AB	26,943.89		
Federal Grants, AB	923,175.33	950,119.22	
Fund Balance, July 1, 1948, Federal ADC	101,766.86		
Federal Grants, ADC	7,054,419.04	7,156,185.90	
TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDS			27,015,115.81
Miscellaneous Income from closing out Bank			
Balance of Outstanding Checks of State			3.35
Board of Social Welfare			
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR PERIOD			\$43,566,342.38

DISBURSEMENTS

For Old Age Assistance	\$	\$29,430,966.50	\$
Less: Cancellations	186,127.00		
Refunds	1,411.50		
Collections	76.00	187,614.50	
Net OAA Payments		29,243,352.00	
From State OAA Funds			11,381,282.75
From Federal OAA Funds			17,862,069.25
For Aid to the Blind		1,479,807.00	
Less: Cancellations	7,990.00		
Refunds	171.50	8,161.50	
Net AB Payments		1,471,645.50	
From State AB Funds			579,931.25
From Federal AB Funds			891,714.25
For Aid to Dependent Children		9,767,350.50	
Less: Cancellations	22,294.50		
Refunds	24.00	22,318.50	
Net ADC Payments		9,745,032.00	
From State ADC Funds			3,350,968.50
From Federal ADC Funds			6,394,063.50
For ADC Special Services		49,659.21	
From State ADC Special Services Fund			49,659.21
TOTAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS			40,509,688.71
For Administration and Service:			
From State Funds for			
Old Age Assistance	567,517.22		
Aid to the Blind	33,519.88		
Aid to Dependent Children	382,359.28		
All Other Services	184,928.57	1,168,324.95	

ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS—(Cont'd)

From Federal Funds for			
Old Age Assistance	567,517.22		
Aid to the Blind	33,519.88		
Aid to Dependent Children	382,359.28	983,396.38	
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION AND SERVICE			2,151,721.33

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS FOR PERIOD	\$42,661,410.04
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS	<u>904,932.34</u>

PROOF OF EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS

Fund Balance, June 30, 1949, Federal OAA	494,649.58	
Federal AB	25,657.32	
Federal ADC	382,643.34	
Total Fund Balances		902,950.24
Supply Inventory, June 30, 1949	4,667.68	
Supply Inventory, July 1, 1948	2,685.58	
Net Increase in Supply Inventory		1,982.10
		<u>904,932.34</u>

ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR* (By State and Federal Funds)

	STATE FUNDS			FEDERAL FUNDS		
	Old Age Assistance	Aid to the Blind	Aid to Dependent Children	Old Age Assistance	Aid to the Blind	Aid to Dependent Children
July 1948	\$ 979,867.75	\$ 49,468.50	\$ 287,592.25	\$ 1,274,722.75	\$ 63,803.50	\$ 410,112.25
August	990,798.50	50,221.75	295,722.00	1,288,868.50	64,731.75	421,614.00
September	1,004,775.75	50,682.50	306,797.25	1,306,885.75	65,312.50	437,303.25
October	899,779.75	45,831.25	246,523.25	1,507,739.75	75,171.25	512,803.25
November	908,604.50	46,546.75	253,088.00	1,520,584.50	76,316.75	526,622.00
December	918,526.50	46,706.00	258,470.50	1,535,076.50	76,466.00	538,166.50
January 1949	925,820.00	47,329.50	265,356.75	1,545,860.00	77,359.50	553,104.75
February	932,491.25	47,735.50	271,727.00	1,555,861.25	77,945.50	566,243.00
March	944,741.50	48,067.50	280,577.25	1,575,261.50	78,367.50	584,699.25
April	956,561.75	48,710.75	289,316.50	1,593,291.75	79,330.75	602,702.50
May	968,214.25	49,162.25	296,728.75	1,611,114.25	79,912.25	617,398.75
June	980,262.75	49,827.50	304,547.75	1,629,722.75	80,767.50	632,783.75
TOTALS	\$11,410,444.25	\$580,289.75	\$3,356,447.25	\$17,944,989.25	\$895,484.75	\$6,403,553.25

*Payments represent obligations incurred by the Agency at the time payrolls were written.

ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR FISCAL YEAR *

	Total	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind
July 1948	\$ 3,065,567.00	\$ 2,254,590.50	\$ 697,704.50	\$ 113,272.00
August	3,111,956.50	2,279,667.00	717,336.00	114,953.50
September	3,171,757.00	2,311,661.50	744,100.50	115,995.00
October	3,287,848.50	2,407,519.50	759,326.50	121,002.50
November	3,331,762.50	2,429,189.00	779,710.00	122,863.50
December	3,373,412.00	2,453,603.00	796,637.00	123,172.00
January 1949	3,414,830.50	2,471,680.00	818,461.50	124,689.00
February	3,452,003.50	2,488,352.50	837,970.00	125,681.00
March	3,511,714.50	2,520,003.00	865,276.50	126,435.00
April	3,569,914.00	2,549,853.50	892,019.00	128,041.50
May	3,622,530.50	2,579,328.50	914,127.50	129,074.50
June	3,677,912.00	2,609,985.50	937,331.50	130,595.00
TOTALS	\$40,591,208.50	\$29,355,433.50	\$9,760,000.50	\$1,475,774.50

AVERAGE NET MONTHLY PAYMENTS

	June 1948	June 1949
Old Age Assistance	\$ 38.19	\$ 40.19
Aid to the Blind	39.48	42.21
Aid to Dependent Children	42.01	41.95

*Payments represent obligations incurred by the Agency at the time payrolls were written.

ANNUAL STATISTICAL REPORT

July 1, 1948—June 30, 1949

(State Total)

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children Families	Aid to the Blind
REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE			
No formal applications made	3,625	1,983	138

	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children Families	Aid to the Blind Children	Aid to the Blind
FORMAL APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE				
Pending (July 1, 1948)	5,166	4,202	9,864	373
Received (July 1, 1948-June 30, 1949)	15,903	12,889	29,998	976
Total during period	21,069	17,091	39,862	1,349
Total disposed of	17,892	14,420	34,254	1,098
Approved for payment	13,128	10,219	23,692	523
Denied or withdrawn	4,764	4,201	10,562	575
Pending (June 30, 1949)	3,177	2,671	5,608	251

CASES APPROVED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE				
Cases eligible (July 1, 1948)	59,101	16,597	40,816	2,865
Cases approved for payment (July, 1948 - June, 1949)	13,128	10,219	25,389*	523
Total cases assisted (July, 1948- June, 1949)	72,229	26,816	66,205	3,388
Cases closed (July, 1948- June, 1949)	6,543	3,910	10,200	285
Cases eligible (June 30, 1949)	65,686	22,906	56,005	3,103
Received assistance (June, 1949)	64,946	22,342	54,706	3,094
Received no assistance (June, 1949)	740	564	1,299	9
(Approved in June for July payment)				

*Includes 1,697 children added to active ADC cases

REVIEW OF ELIGIBLE CASES

	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind	Total
Total reviews completed (July 1, 1948-June 30, 1949) ..	74,141	36,918	3,811	114,870

SERVICES TO CHILDREN

Requests for Services

Total number requests for service received (July 1, 1948 - June 30, 1949)	3,697
Nature of Requests Received	
Behavior difficulties	119
Mental difficulties	37
Physical difficulties	160
Services to unmarried mother	273
Placement services	695
Day care services	40
Protective services	97
Supervisory services	44
Adoption services	1,454
General	778

Services Given

	Families	Children
Cases under care (July 1, 1948)	1,132	1,493
Services initiated (July, 1948 - June, 1949)	3,467	5,014
Received service (July, 1948 - June, 1949)	4,599	6,507
Services completed (July, 1948 - June, 1949)	3,390	4,754
Cases under care (June 30, 1949)	1,209	1,753
In home of parents	215	472
In home of relatives	76	136
In foster homes:	808	969
Boarding homes	148	251
Free homes	21	27
Work/wage homes	2	2
Adoption homes	637	689
In institutions	72	136
Elsewhere:	38	40
Boarding schools	3	4
Maternity homes	13	13
State institutions	5	5
Independent living arrangements	14	14
Other	3	4

Other Activities

Services to Individuals		
Service Cases under Care (July 1, 1948)	140	
Requests for Services (July, 1948-June, 1949)	3,993	
Total Service Cases (July, 1948-June, 1949)	4,133	
Service Cases Disposed of (July, 1948-June, 1949)	4,038	
No Service Given		252
Service Given		3,786
Services Completed at First Interview		3,019
Services Completed after Continuous Care		767
Service Cases under Care (June 30, 1949)	95	

Other Activities— (Cont'd)

Referrals to Other Agencies or Institutions

Florida Council for the Blind	932
Crippled Children's Commission	119
Vocational Rehabilitation	1,224
County or City Welfare Departments or Commissioners	1,996
County Health Units	1,851
Lions Clubs	588
Salvation Army	374
American Red Cross	176
Social Security Administration	92
Cancer Association	80
State Board of Health	72
Kiwanis Clubs	60
Associated and Catholic Charities	39
Other	322

Cases Receiving Service at the Request of Other Agencies or Institutions

Florida State Hospital	62	
Florida Farm Colony	6	
State Tuberculosis Hospitals	9	
State Reciprocal Services	5,549	
Verification of Residence		717
Social Investigation		4,832
Industrial School for Girls	7	
Industrial School for Boys	65	
Penal Institutions	12	
Children's Institutions	19	
Courts on Children's Cases	109	
Courts on Adult Cases	27	
City or County Commissioners or Welfare Departments	1,450	
School Free Lunch Program	78	
Florida Council for the Blind	18	
County Health Departments	17	
Other	348	

REASONS FOR OPENING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES

	Old Age Assistance	Aid to the Blind	Aid to Dependent Children
Change in economic circumstances during last six months			
Loss of employment by recipient or other person in home	4,544	200	3,129
Loss of wage earner in home by death or absence	169	5	2,052
Discontinuance of allowance, pension, or other payment connected with military service	77	2	60
Depletion of savings or other resources ..	1,609	17	154
Loss or decrease of contributions from relatives outside of home	357	8	215
Other change in economic circumstances (including increased need without change in resources)	945	29	1,144
No material change in economic circumstances during last six months			
Attained technical eligibility	2,904	152	869
Other (includes families in need over an extended period who have postponed applying by living below the agency's standards)	2,523	110	2,596
Total approved during twelve-month period	13,128	523	10,219

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE EXPENDITURES*

BY PROGRAM AND CLASSIFICATION

July 1, 1948—June 30, 1949

	State Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Percent of Total
Old Age Assistance	\$11,410,444.25	\$17,944,989.25	\$29,355,433.50	68.58
Aid to Dependent Children	3,356,447.25	6,403,553.25	9,760,000.50	22.80
Aid to the Blind	580,289.75	895,484.75	1,475,774.50	3.45
Adm. and Service Costs	1,178,399.95	1,035,397.00	2,213,796.95	5.17
GRAND TOTAL	\$16,525,581.20	\$26,279,424.25	\$42,805,005.45	100.00
Assist. Payments*	\$15,347,181.25	\$25,244,027.25	\$40,591,208.50	94.83
Welfare Services	668,841.20	587,674.99	1,256,516.19	2.94
Administration	509,558.75	447,722.01	957,280.76	2.23
GRAND TOTAL	\$16,525,581.20	\$26,279,424.25	\$42,805,005.45	100.00
Percent of Total	38.61	61.39	100.00	

*Assistance expenditures in this table are gross payments, without adjustment for re-funded checks, cancellations, and other adjustments made subsequent to the issuance of the payroll for the month.

TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE AND SERVICE COSTS PER CASE MONTH

SELECTED STATES—FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1949

	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind
U. S. Average	\$ 2.21	\$ 5.49	\$ 3.22
Florida	1.53	3.29	1.87
Southern States			
Louisiana	1.73	3.37	2.37
North Carolina	1.37	3.44	4.62
Virginia	2.66	6.24	3.62
Mid-West States			
Illinois	2.68	6.03	4.24
Kansas	2.66	6.78	3.91
Michigan	1.95	4.32	1.95
New England States			
Connecticut	1.98	5.56	2.10
Maine	2.22	3.56	2.52
Rhode Island	2.21	4.11	3.39

Source: Adapted from Social Security Administration release on Administrative Costs of Public Assistance, dated December 6, 1949.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
showing amount of payments and
number of recipients by
Districts
Counties
Categories
With Reports of the
Twelve Florida Welfare
Districts

DISTRICT DIRECTORS

(As of June 30, 1949)

District 1	Mrs. Anna Hollingsworth	DeFuniak Springs
District 2	Miss Sada Bostick	Quincy
District 3	Miss Olive B. Day	Live Oak
District 4	Mrs. Dorothy Y. Ripper	Clearwater
District 5	Miss Estelle Long	Green Cove Springs
District 6	Mrs. Pansy H. Mattair	Jacksonville
District 7	Mrs. Furma DeWitt	Tampa
District 8	Miss Winfred L. Cox	Fort Myers
District 9	Miss Hazel L. Adams	Miami
District 10	Miss Eleanor Hursch, Acting	West Palm Beach
District 11	Mrs. Marian M. Kalashian	Leesburg
District 12	Miss Anne Curtright	Orlando

DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS

(As of June 30, 1949)

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PUBLIC ASSISTANCE—SHOWING AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS— BY COUNTIES

(Cases shown are those receiving assistance as of June, 1949. Assistance shown is the total amount received for the period July, 1948 - June 1949.)

	OLD AGE ASSISTANCE		AID TO THE BLIND		AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN		TOTAL All Assistance Payments
	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	
District No. 1							
Bay	960	\$ 437,704.50	46	\$ 22,305.00	451	\$ 206,388.50	\$ 666,398.00
Escambia	2,415	1,031,417.00	117	53,355.50	1,329	576,333.50	1,661,106.00
Holmes	723	323,682.50	93	40,008.00	345	172,578.50	536,269.00
Okaloosa	762	355,383.50	36	14,020.00	328	151,196.50	520,600.00
Santa Rosa	921	421,044.50	71	31,540.50	409	189,911.50	642,496.50
Walton	858	404,156.50	66	30,491.50	412	200,921.50	635,569.50
Washington	717	330,731.50	61	29,922.00	444	221,687.00	582,340.50
TOTAL	7,356	3,304,120.00	490	221,642.50	3,718	1,719,017.00	5,244,779.50
District No. 2							
Calhoun	372	175,650.00	39	17,653.50	185	89,887.00	283,190.50
Franklin	300	133,587.00	19	10,092.50	99	41,853.50	185,533.00
Gadsden	1,105	474,296.00	53	22,608.50	294	109,453.00	606,357.50
Gulf	194	92,224.00	7	4,638.50	81	31,641.00	128,503.50
Jackson	1,913	808,661.50	72	32,532.50	691	334,654.50	1,175,848.50
Jefferson	810	334,676.50	31	14,614.00	94	45,741.00	395,031.50
Leon	1,618	731,356.50	66	32,692.50	518	219,438.00	983,487.00
Liberty	202	96,419.50	6	2,536.50	58	31,592.50	130,548.50
Wakulla	310	152,560.50	19	8,093.00	115	46,568.50	207,222.00
TOTAL	6,824	2,999,431.50	312	145,461.50	2,135	950,829.00	4,095,722.00

District No. 3

Columbia	852	365,014.50	33	15,147.50	305	113,567.00	493,729.00
Dixie	204	100,595.50	18	8,054.00	97	46,718.50	155,368.00
Gilchrist	171	66,765.50	8	3,322.50	74	35,205.00	105,293.00
Hamilton	438	179,474.00	19	8,729.00	142	55,936.50	244,139.50
Lafayette	187	81,863.00	6	3,968.00	59	24,086.50	109,917.50
Levy	669	306,555.50	22	11,290.00	232	96,751.50	414,597.00
Madison	891	396,018.00	33	14,958.50	213	91,502.00	502,478.50
Suwannee	822	366,429.50	39	18,840.00	207	95,628.00	480,897.50
Taylor	558	245,388.50	27	12,633.50	236	96,448.50	354,470.50
TOTAL	4,792	2,108,104.00	205	96,943.00	1,565	655,843.50	2,860,890.50

District No. 4

Citrus	357	172,775.00	17	9,344.50	138	58,289.00	240,408.50
Hernando	246	114,366.50	10	4,165.50	65	29,405.50	147,937.50
Pasco	627	278,005.00	22	10,762.50	174	70,763.00	359,530.50
Pinellas	2,562	1,157,241.00	84	41,914.50	521	204,244.50	1,403,400.00
TOTAL	3,792	1,722,387.50	133	66,187.00	898	362,702.00	2,151,276.50

District No. 5

Alachua	1,877	891,494.00	124	56,497.00	995	452,654.50	1,400,645.50
Baker	268	126,371.00	26	11,595.50	136	65,958.00	203,924.50
Bradford	492	228,064.50	23	10,107.50	204	81,106.00	319,278.00
Clay	329	152,820.50	8	2,872.00	90	39,479.00	195,171.50
Flagler	138	63,197.50	3	1,737.00	25	12,462.00	77,396.50
Nassau	441	215,150.50	17	7,485.00	217	90,905.50	313,541.00
Putnam	1,128	550,138.00	62	33,149.50	376	164,998.00	748,285.50
St. Johns	879	410,479.50	28	11,718.00	131	60,925.00	483,122.50
Union	255	132,879.00	10	4,900.00	122	58,986.50	196,765.50
TOTAL	5,807	2,770,594.50	301	140,061.50	2,296	1,027,474.50	3,938,130.50

District No. 6

Duval	6,186	2,719,770.00	307	151,505.50	1,988	792,843.50	3,664,119.00
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District No. 7

Hillsborough	5,287	2,284,356.50	240	112,745.50	1,309	556,922.50	2,954,024.50
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**PUBLIC ASSISTANCE—SHOWING AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS—
BY COUNTIES— (Cont'd)
July, 1948—June, 1949**

	OLD AGE ASSISTANCE		AID TO THE BLIND		AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN		TOTAL All Assistance Payments
	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	Cases Receiving Financial Assistance	Amount of Payments*	
District No. 8							
Charlotte	173	83,852.50	4	2,461.50	23	12,101.50	98,415.50
Collier	95	38,827.00	8	3,430.50	31	15,954.50	58,212.00
DeSoto	330	147,263.00	13	4,868.50	86	34,472.00	186,603.50
Glades	76	36,481.00	1	423.00	27	11,192.50	48,096.50
Hardee	453	216,114.00	16	8,001.00	110	51,096.00	275,211.00
Hendry	144	70,911.50	6	2,714.00	32	17,346.00	90,971.50
Highlands	407	193,282.50	17	8,726.50	163	70,170.50	272,179.50
Lee	656	320,949.50	26	13,882.50	195	75,249.00	410,081.00
Manatee	917	417,741.50	34	14,941.50	176	68,561.00	501,244.00
Sarasota	383	165,911.00	9	4,212.50	35	16,017.00	186,140.50
TOTAL	3,634	1,691,333.50	134	63,661.50	878	372,160.00	2,127,155.00
District No. 9							
Dade	4,000	1,789,369.00	148	70,716.50	767	332,516.00	2,192,601.50
District No. 10							
Broward	811	348,159.50	48	22,429.00	377	150,113.50	520,702.00
Indian River	278	123,827.50	19	7,846.00	83	44,653.00	176,326.50
Martin	187	76,561.00	10	4,668.50	57	28,056.50	109,286.00
Monroe	525	242,264.00	56	27,428.00	166	72,895.00	342,587.00
Okeechobee	158	73,969.00	22	10,952.50	49	22,859.00	107,780.50
Palm Beach	1,505	668,278.00	79	40,058.50	590	264,721.00	973,057.50
St. Lucie	294	127,995.50	9	4,114.00	134	63,946.50	196,056.00
TOTAL	3,758	1,661,054.50	243	117,496.50	1,456	647,244.50	2,425,795.50

District No. 11

Lake	998	469,187.00	52	26,266.50	293	146,295.50	641,749.00
Marion	1,755	810,118.00	99	45,597.00	729	338,146.00	1,193,861.00
Polk	3,290	1,551,249.50	163	81,481.00	1,130	503,260.00	2,135,990.50
Sumter	576	273,142.50	22	11,946.00	215	105,302.00	390,390.50

TOTAL	6,619	3,103,697.00	336	165,290.50	2,367	1,093,003.50	4,361,991.00
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District No. 12

Brevard	667	304,922.50	16	8,048.00	268	122,651.00	435,621.50
Orange	2,562	1,166,902.50	81	42,060.00	1,277	533,498.00	1,742,460.50
Osceola	575	286,350.00	30	14,665.50	159	68,970.00	369,985.50
Seminole	971	445,128.00	29	13,579.50	516	223,320.50	682,028.00
Volusia	2,116	997,912.50	89	45,710.00	745	301,005.00	1,344,627.50

TOTAL	6,891	3,201,215.50	245	124,063.00	2,965	1,249,444.50	4,574,723.00
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STATE TOTAL	64,946	29,355,433.50	3,094	1,475,774.50	22,342	9,760,000.50	40,591,208.50
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*Assistance payments shown on this table are gross and represent obligations incurred by the Agency at the time payrolls were written. For net total amounts see table showing analysis of receipts and disbursements.

MONTHLY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY DISTRICT*

July, 1948—June, 1949

District I

Month	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind	Total
July 1948	\$ 260,438.00	\$ 130,343.50	\$ 16,373.50	\$ 407,155.00
August	262,421.00	131,872.00	16,845.50	411,138.50
September	265,738.00	135,473.00	17,151.00	418,362.00
October	275,184.50	137,244.50	17,914.00	430,343.00
November	276,058.50	139,228.00	18,492.50	433,779.00
December	276,589.50	141,430.00	18,642.50	436,662.00
January 1949..	277,508.50	143,258.00	18,797.00	439,563.50
February	277,740.50	145,540.50	19,013.50	442,294.50
March	279,832.00	149,764.50	19,259.50	448,856.00
April	282,033.00	152,229.50	19,357.00	453,619.50
May	283,419.50	155,002.50	19,684.00	458,106.00
June	287,157.00	157,631.00	20,112.50	464,900.50
TOTAL	\$3,304,120.00	\$1,719,017.00	\$ 221,642.50	\$5,244,779.50

District II

July 1948	\$ 236,454.00	\$ 69,840.50	\$ 11,306.50	\$ 317,601.00
August	238,306.00	70,852.50	11,489.50	320,648.00
September	239,857.00	71,170.00	11,590.00	322,617.00
October	247,103.50	71,949.00	12,042.00	331,094.50
November	247,429.50	72,989.50	12,210.00	332,629.00
December	249,229.50	74,765.00	12,179.00	336,173.50
January 1949..	251,925.50	79,765.00	12,342.00	344,032.50
February	253,457.00	82,399.00	12,318.50	348,174.50
March	255,926.50	85,586.00	12,270.50	353,783.00
April	257,897.50	87,738.00	12,426.50	358,062.00
May	259,825.50	90,350.00	12,595.00	362,770.50
June	262,020.00	93,424.50	12,692.00	368,136.50
TOTAL	\$2,999,431.50	\$ 950,829.00	\$ 145,461.50	\$4,095,722.00

District III

July 1948	\$ 163,490.00	\$ 46,354.50	\$ 7,491.50	\$ 217,336.00
August	164,216.00	46,230.00	7,624.00	218,070.00
September	165,585.00	48,177.50	7,663.00	221,425.50
October	172,291.00	49,598.00	7,861.00	229,750.00
November	173,735.00	51,800.00	8,072.00	233,607.00
December	176,346.00	53,872.00	8,074.50	238,292.50
January 1949..	178,105.00	55,747.50	8,115.00	241,967.50
February	179,111.00	57,051.50	8,293.50	244,456.00
March	181,592.50	59,357.00	8,342.00	249,291.50
April	182,794.50	60,632.50	8,393.50	251,820.50
May	183,978.50	62,285.00	8,537.00	254,800.50
June	186,859.50	64,738.00	8,476.00	260,073.50
TOTAL	\$ 2,108,104.00	\$ 655,843.50	\$ 96,943.00	\$ 2,860,890.50

MONTHLY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY DISTRICT*

July, 1948—June, 1949

District IV

Month	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind	Total
July 1948	\$ 130,335.50	\$ 22,810.00	\$ 5,211.50	\$ 158,357.00
August	132,385.50	24,144.50	5,243.00	161,773.00
September	134,129.00	25,647.50	5,249.50	165,026.00
October	140,042.50	26,653.50	5,533.00	172,229.00
November	141,717.50	27,795.50	5,458.50	174,971.50
December	143,497.00	28,793.00	5,522.00	177,812.00
January 1949..	145,009.50	30,912.00	5,562.50	181,484.00
February	147,620.00	32,566.50	5,577.00	185,763.50
March	149,774.00	34,242.50	5,673.00	189,689.50
April	150,658.00	35,171.00	5,674.50	191,503.50
May	152,432.50	36,129.50	5,728.50	194,290.50
June	154,786.50	37,836.50	5,754.00	198,377.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,722,387.50	\$ 362,702.00	\$ 66,187.00	\$ 2,151,276.50

District V

July 1948	\$ 215,738.50	\$ 74,144.00	\$ 10,833.50	\$ 300,716.00
August	216,832.00	76,407.00	10,882.00	304,121.00
September	219,381.00	79,574.00	11,087.00	310,042.00
October	228,673.50	80,392.50	11,450.00	320,516.00
November	230,993.50	82,118.00	11,551.00	324,662.50
December	232,187.00	83,472.00	11,586.50	327,245.50
January 1949..	232,692.50	86,139.00	11,758.50	330,590.00
February	234,715.00	88,297.00	11,713.00	334,725.00
March	237,411.00	90,980.00	11,994.50	340,385.50
April	238,809.00	93,460.00	12,168.50	344,437.50
May	240,513.00	95,292.00	12,391.50	348,196.50
June	242,648.50	97,199.00	12,645.50	352,493.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,770,594.50	\$ 1,027,474.50	\$ 140,061.50	\$ 3,938,130.50

District VI

July 1948	\$ 205,769.50	\$ 52,216.00	\$ 11,399.00	\$ 269,384.50
August	209,702.50	54,072.50	11,660.00	275,435.00
September	212,851.00	57,759.50	11,829.50	282,440.00
October	222,633.50	60,419.00	12,438.00	295,490.50
November	224,781.50	62,399.50	12,635.50	299,816.50
December	226,716.00	63,778.00	12,819.50	303,313.50
January 1949..	226,917.50	64,656.00	13,021.50	304,595.00
February	226,809.50	66,012.00	12,891.50	305,713.00
March	234,058.50	70,953.50	12,840.50	317,852.50
April	239,848.50	76,967.50	13,276.00	330,092.00
May	243,974.50	80,799.50	13,384.00	338,158.00
June	245,707.50	82,810.50	13,310.50	341,828.50
TOTAL	\$ 2,719,770.00	\$ 792,843.50	\$ 151,505.50	\$ 3,664,119.00

MONTHLY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY DISTRICT*

July, 1948—June, 1949

District VII

Month	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind	Total
July 1948	\$ 167,968.00	\$ 36,178.00	\$ 8,392.00	\$ 212,538.00
August	172,489.50	38,864.50	8,722.00	220,076.00
September	177,356.50	41,490.50	8,793.50	227,640.50
October	186,019.00	43,336.00	9,362.00	238,717.00
November	189,248.50	44,621.50	9,557.50	243,427.50
December	191,665.50	45,123.00	9,438.50	246,227.00
January 1949..	193,914.50	46,853.50	9,393.50	250,161.50
February	195,078.00	48,776.50	9,472.00	253,326.50
March	197,302.50	50,084.50	9,614.00	257,001.00
April	200,421.00	52,244.00	9,758.00	262,423.00
May	204,590.00	53,763.50	9,979.00	268,332.50
June	208,303.50	55,587.00	10,263.50	274,154.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,284,356.50	\$ 556,922.50	\$ 112,745.50	\$ 2,954,024.50

District VIII

July 1948	\$ 131,431.00	\$ 25,999.00	\$ 4,766.00	\$ 162,196.00
August	133,467.00	26,851.00	4,856.50	165,174.50
September	135,303.50	27,742.50	4,936.00	167,982.00
October	140,714.00	29,302.50	5,216.50	175,233.00
November	141,443.00	30,183.50	5,221.50	176,848.00
December	141,729.00	30,208.00	5,407.50	177,344.50
January 1949..	141,351.50	30,250.50	5,394.00	176,996.00
February	142,025.00	31,682.00	5,513.50	179,220.50
March	143,602.50	33,112.00	5,470.50	182,185.00
April	145,626.00	34,476.00	5,639.00	185,741.00
May	146,645.50	35,883.00	5,585.00	188,113.50
June	147,995.50	36,470.00	5,655.50	190,121.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,691,333.50	\$ 372,160.00	\$ 63,661.50	\$ 2,127,155.00

District IX

July 1948	\$ 128,966.00	\$ 20,433.50	\$ 5,451.00	\$ 154,850.50
August	130,990.50	21,647.00	5,547.00	158,184.50
September	135,753.50	23,878.50	5,579.50	165,211.50
October	144,154.00	25,093.00	5,780.00	175,027.00
November	146,976.50	26,797.00	5,904.50	179,678.00
December	151,559.50	28,220.00	5,913.00	185,692.50
January 1949..	153,479.00	28,795.50	5,957.50	188,232.00
February	154,537.50	29,335.00	5,907.50	189,780.00
March	156,194.00	30,201.50	6,119.00	192,514.50
April	158,949.50	31,453.50	6,102.50	196,505.50
May	161,646.50	32,312.00	6,152.00	200,110.50
June	166,162.50	34,349.50	6,303.00	206,815.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,789,369.00	\$ 332,516.00	\$ 70,716.50	\$ 2,192,601.50

MONTHLY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY DISTRICT*

July, 1948—June, 1949

District X

Month	Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children	Aid to the Blind	Total
July 1948	\$ 122,678.50	\$ 42,410.50	\$ 9,310.50	\$ 174,399.50
August	124,312.00	43,960.50	9,369.00	177,641.50
September	126,912.50	46,387.00	9,458.50	182,758.00
October	132,591.50	47,703.00	9,587.00	189,881.50
November	135,396.50	49,541.00	9,584.50	194,522.00
December	138,616.50	52,429.00	9,458.50	200,504.00
January 1949..	140,837.00	54,840.50	9,691.50	205,369.00
February	143,066.00	57,947.00	10,121.50	211,134.50
March	145,914.50	60,380.50	10,101.50	216,396.50
April	148,751.50	62,901.50	10,279.00	221,932.00
May	150,280.50	63,959.50	10,226.50	224,466.50
June	151,697.50	64,784.50	10,308.50	226,790.50
TOTAL	\$ 1,661,054.50	\$ 647,244.50	\$ 117,496.50	\$ 2,425,795.50

District XI

July 1948	\$ 244,985.00	\$ 86,006.50	\$ 12,903.00	\$ 343,894.50
August	245,861.50	87,564.00	12,973.50	346,399.00
September	247,741.50	89,358.00	12,858.50	349,958.00
October	256,060.00	88,945.50	13,529.50	358,535.00
November	257,428.00	90,090.00	13,872.00	361,390.00
December	258,806.50	90,251.50	13,875.50	362,933.50
January 1949..	260,270.00	91,398.00	14,029.50	365,697.50
February	262,256.50	91,214.00	14,060.00	367,530.50
March	263,712.50	92,429.00	14,083.50	370,225.00
April	266,266.50	93,702.50	14,279.50	374,248.50
May	269,420.50	95,025.00	14,232.50	378,678.00
June	270,888.50	97,019.50	14,593.50	382,501.50
TOTAL	\$ 3,103,697.00	\$ 1,093,003.50	\$ 165,290.50	\$ 4,361,991.00

District XII

July 1948	\$ 246,336.50	\$ 90,968.50	\$ 9,834.00	\$ 347,139.00
August	248,683.50	94,870.50	9,741.50	353,295.50
September	251,053.00	97,442.50	9,799.00	358,294.50
October	262,052.50	98,690.00	10,289.50	371,032.00
November	263,981.00	102,146.50	10,304.00	376,431.50
December	266,661.00	104,295.50	10,255.00	381,211.50
January 1949..	269,669.50	105,846.00	10,626.50	386,142.00
February	271,936.50	107,149.00	10,799.50	389,885.00
March	274,682.50	108,185.50	10,666.50	393,534.50
April	277,798.50	111,043.00	10,687.50	399,529.00
May	282,602.00	113,326.00	10,579.50	406,507.50
June	285,759.00	115,481.50	10,480.50	411,721.00
TOTAL	\$ 3,201,215.50	\$ 1,249,444.50	\$ 124,063.00	\$ 4,574,723.00

*Assistance payments shown on this table are gross and represent obligations incurred by the agency at the time payments were written. For net total amounts see the table showing analysis of receipts and disbursements.